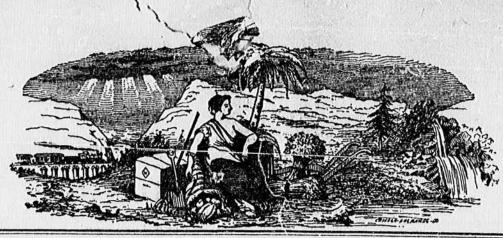
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COURTER.

TO THINE OWN SELF BE TRUE AND IT MUST FOLLOW AS THE NIGHT THE DAY, THOU CANS'T NOT THEN BE FALSE TO ANY MAN.

BY JAYNES, SHELOR, SMITH & STECK.

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distinction. Gov. McSweeney, of South Carolina; Gov. Candler, of Georgia, and United States Senator Tillman will speak. The festivities will be ended with a ban-

quet on the evening of December 11th, at which the praises of the exposition will be sung. Owing to the fact that the

five pounds lard.

A Trip to Glenville, N. C.

the 13th instant, in company with my son J. R. T., we started for Glenville, N. C., via Gum bottoms. The new road, C., via Gum bottoms. The new road, known as the Sapphire road, is getting in bad condition. If the county officials don't see after it and have it worked it will soon be impassable. We reached Whitewater about noon; stopped, fed our horse and ate lunch. The roads or the North Carolina side are much better

the North Carolina side are much better and we made faster time. We reached Cashier's about 5 P. M.

The first thing of interest that we noticed was an old saw mill—and old sash saw mill—sawing lumber. We saw this mill back in the 60's. Most of the old buildings are gone and new ones have taken their place. The old Zachary house still stands. Gro. M. Cole has a nouse still stands. Geo. M. Cole has fine store house, and is doing a general merchandise business. We stopped a few minutes with Mr. Riley Ho peer. He is maintestly to the interest of the flow minutes with Mr. Riley Ho peer. He is the same jovial Riley that he was back in the 60's when we first knew him. He is ready at any time for a horse swap. Next was Mr. McAdams'. He keeps a first-class hotel for the accommodation of sympor towists. Vert. in Mantestly to the interest of the literator of the interest of the literator aummer He is postmaster and runs a

Rochester. He is postmaster and runs a blacksmith shop.

We then proceeded on our journey crossed the Blue Ridge. We then started down stream. Here Wm. Buchanan is operating a saw mill on Hurricane creek. It is the roughest place we have ever seen for a saw mill. The logs are snaked down the mountain side with cattle.

They have no means of being informed. The work of restoring the State to its former relations with the Federal Government has already commenced, and it is highly important, to the people of Pickens, to be informed of the progress of the changes imposed by dire necessity upon us.

To this end we propose to recommence the publication of The Courier, if suffi-

We arrived at my sister's (Mrs. A. T. Moody) about sundown, and spent the night very pleasantly. The wind blew hard all night. Wednesday, the 14th, we set out up Norton creek, some three or four miles to the wool cards of S. L. McGuire, run by his son, W. C. McGuire. We spent several hours very pleasantly with him. We returned to my sister's for dinner. In the afternoon, with W. We arrived at my sister's (Mrs. A. T. for dinner. In the afternoon, with W. J. Moody for our guide, we set out for Upper Hamburg, over a rough road. We arrived at N. A. Lusk's, our brother-in-law, about dark. He lives on Cedar aw, about dark. He lives on Cedar creek, under Glass Rock, and spent the night very pleasantly with him. Here I think the road stops, but they say not. I did not go any farther. On the 15th we went back the same trail and proceeded to the beautiful little town of Glenville. The business The business men of the town are: W. A. Fowler & Son, B. J. Moody, John Nicholson. B. J. Moody is also postmaster. The hotel is burned down, but Mrs. Ethert West. Nicholson. B. J. Moody is also post-master. The hotel is burned down, but Mrs. Elbert Watson runs a boarding house. The High School is presided over by Prof. Chas. Cooper, from Whiter, Swayne county, North Carolina. The farmers around Glenville are industrious, hard-working people. They have plenty, and make corn to sell. They raise cabbage, turnips and all kinds of vegetables they want to. Mr. Alfred Wilson has fine corn, so have others. Wilson has fine corn, so have others.

Mr. J. D. Frasier, of Oconee, has moved out there and is running some were scarce, and they seldom heard of

mills for Mr. Jasper Jennings.

Friday, the 16th, at 10 A. M., we started heart failure, etc. for home, leaving the good people of Glenville for a while, hoping to see them again. We want to go back in the spring late the action of the liver, stimulate again. We want to go back in the spring and carry our fishing tackle and stay a week or so. If we ever move to the mountains we will never pitch our tent this side the Blue Ridge. We reached home about dark the 16th. McKinley is elected, but the water on the other side of the Blue Ridge runs north just the same.

J. L. Talley.

Little River, S. C., November 28, 1900.

At Clifton, Spartanburg county, on November 28th, Edward Coleman on November 28th, Edward Coleman shot and mortally wounded his brother, Tom. They are negroes and the shooting was the result of a family row in which their wives figured.

A TEXAS WONDER.

Hall's Great Discovery for Kidney and

Bladder Trouble.

interesting feature of the opening day will be the attendance of a party of twelve prominent men from New York, One small bottle of Hall's Great Discovery cures all kidney and bladder trou-bles, removes gravel, cures diabetes, seminal emissions, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and tect in chief of the exposition. There will be a grand military event in Charleston on the day the corner-stone is laid and addresses will be made by men of Regulates bladder troubles in If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.00. One small bottle is two months' treatment, and will cure any case above mentioned. Dr. E. W. Hall, sole manufacturer, P. O. Box 629, St. Louis, Mo. Send for testimonials. Sold by all druggists.

Mayors' Convention will be in session there on December 11th, it was thought wise to have the corner-stone ceremonies to certify that my wife has been troubled while these distinguished municipal offi-with pain in her back and left hip for cers are in Charleston. The meeting of to certify that my wife has been troubled with pain in her back and left hip for years and that in less than ten days after taking Dr. E. W. Hall's Kidney Medicine all pain had left, and she feels like a new woman. D. W. CARLISLE, Clerk M., K. & T. R. R., 103 N. Broadway.

Effect of County Representation in the House in 1902-Oconee Holds Two.

CENSUS AND LEGISLATURE.

Mr. August Kohn, the Columbia cor respondent to the News and Courier, says: There are some interesting facts to be gained from the publication of the county populations in reference to repre-sentation in the Legislature. Outside of that feature, however, the fact is developed that cotton mills do not increase the population of counties to a great ex-tent, but it does of the towns. This intent, but it does of the towns. This indicates that a large part of the county population is dra va to the factory towns. The fact is of servable in the upper part of the State, where the cotton mill industry has assumed its largest proportions. But these from matters of speculation mostly, and what will be of equal interest, at least to politicians, is the representation of the various counties in the Legislature of 1902.

The total population of the State is 1,340,316, and the number of Representatives in the House is fixed at 124. This will give one Representative for every 10,809 inhabitants Under this plan Charleston will lose one Representative, she having nine in the House. Section 4 of Article 3 of the Constitu-

tion of 1895, which is devoted to the Legislative department is as follows: "In Legislative department is as follows: "In assigning Representatives to the several counties the General Assembly shall allow one Representative to every one hundred and twenty-fourth part of the inhabitants of the State: Provided, that if in the apportionment of Representatives any county shall appear not to be entitled, from its portionment of Representatives, any county shall, nevertheless, send one Representative, and if there be still a deficiency in the number of Representatives, required by Section 3 of this article, such deficiency shall be supplied by assigning Representatives of those counties having the largest surplus finations.

Section 5 provides that no apportion-ment of Representatives shall take effect until the general election, which will succeed such apportionment. According to this the representation in the 1902 General Assembly will be as fol-

Abbeville, 3; Aiken, 3, and one for a majority fraction of 6,555; Anderson, 5; Bamberg, 1, and 1 for a majority fraction of 7,487; Barnwell, 3; Beaufort, 3; Berkeley, 2, and 1 for a majority fraction of 8,836; Charleston, 8; Cherokee, 1, and 1 for a majority fraction of 10,550; Ches-The readers of The Courier will be interested in reading the "Prospectus" which was published just after the war, preparatory to resuming the publication of this time-honored journal by Messrs. Robert A. Thompson, W. H. Holcombe and Robert Young. Suffice it to say that the subscriptions and contributions of "bacon" and "barter" were sufficiently encouraging to the then proprietors to induce them to resume the publication, which has continued ever since without intermission:

Phospectus.

for a majority fraction of 10,550; Chester, 2, and 1 for a fraction of 9,592; Clarendon, 2, and 1 for a majority fraction of 7,566; Colleton, 3; Darlington, 2, and 1 for a fraction of 7,807; Florence 2, and 1 for a fraction of 6,856; Georgetown, 2; Greenwood, 2, and 1 for a fraction of 6,725; Hampton, 2; Horry, 2; Kershaw, 2; Lancaster, 2; Laurens, 3; Lexington, 2; Marion, 3; Marlboro, 2, and 1 for a majority fraction of 8,564; Colleton, 3; Darlington, 2, and 1 for a fraction of 7,807; Florence 2, and 1 for a fraction of 7,807; Florence 2, and 1 for a fraction of 6,856; Georgetown, 2; Greenwood, 2, and 1 for a majority fraction of 7,566; Colleton, 3; Darlington, 2, and 1 for a fraction of 7,807; Florence 2, and 1 for a fraction of 7,807; Florence 2, and 1 for a fraction of 6,856; Georgetown, 2; Greenwood, 2, and 1 for a majority fraction of 7,566; Colleton, 3; Darlington, 2, and 1 for a fraction of 6,856; Georgetown, 2; Greenwood, 2, and 1 for a majority fraction of 7,507; Horence 2, and 1 for a fraction of 6,856; Georgetown, 2; Greenwood, 2, and 1 for a majority fraction of 7,507; Horence 2, and 1 for a fraction of 6,856; Georgetown, 2; Greenwood, 2, and 1 for a majority fraction of 6,856; Georgetown, 2; Greenwood, 2, and 1 for a fraction of 6,856; Georgetown, 2; Greenwood, 2, and 1 for a majority fraction of 6,856; Georgetown, 2; Greenwood, 2, and 1 for a fraction of 6,856; Georgetown, 2; Greenwood, 2, and 1 for a fraction of 6,856; Georgetown, 2; Greenwood, 2, and 1 for a fraction of 6,856; Georgetown, 2; Greenwood, 2, and 1 Oconce, 2; Orangeburg, 5; Pickens, 1, and 1 for a fraction of 8,566; Richland, 4; Saluda, 1, and 1 for a majority fraction of 8,157; Spartanburg, 6; Sumter, 4, and 1 for a fraction of 8,001; Union, 2; Williamshurg, 6; Williamshurg, 6; Williamshurg, 6; Williamshurg, 8,001; Williamshurg, 8,001; Williamshurg, 9; W Events, over which we had no control,

tensely the destiny of our people, are appearing almost daily, and of which they have no means of being informed. The work of restoring the State to its former relations with the Federal Gov-Colleton, 3; Darlington, 3; Dorchester, 1; Edgefield, 3; Fairfield, 3; Florence, 3; Georgetown, 2; Greenville, 5; Greenwood, 2; Horry, 2; Hampton, 2; Kershaw, 2; Lancaster, 2; Laurens, 3; Lexington, 2; Marion, 3; Marlboro, 3; Newberry, 3; Oconee, 2; Orangeburg, 5; Pickens, 2; Richland, 4; Saluda, 2; Spartanburg, 5; Sumter, 5; Union, 3; Williamsburg, 3; York, 4. The counties which may probably gain

the publication of The Courier, if sufficient inducement is offered to warrant the undertaking, the paper to be one-half the size of The Courier in 1860. in representation are: Aiken, Greenwood, Clarendon and Spartanburg. Those which will probably lose are Charleston, Berkeley, Beaufort, Edgefield and

culation of The Courier the public spir-ited citizens of each neigh orhood can make up clubs and by an send each week for their papers. It is proposed to Many persons have had the experience week for their papers. It is proposed to of Mr. Peter Sherman, of North Stratissue the first number on Saturday, the ford, N. H., who says, "For years I suffered torture from chronic indigestion, issue the first number on Saturday, the 19th of August. Three hundred subscribers are necessary to warrant the man of me." It digests what you eat man of me." It digests what you eat ommencement. man of me." It digests what you eat Terms, for three months, 75 cents in and is a certain cure for dyspepsia and Federal currency, or in provisions at the every form of stomach trouble. It gives following rates: Three pecks corn, half bushel wheat, twenty pounds flour, half and can't help but do you good, bushel rye, six chickens, six dozen eggs, J. W. Bell. five pounds butter, five pounds bacon,

Will Serve the Lepers.

A number of Franciscan Sisters will leave this country next week for the leper settlement at Molokai, in the Ha-waiian Islands. It is learned from the waitan Islands. It is learned from the Rev. Father Godfrey Schilling, superior of the Franciscans in Washington, that these Sisters intend to devote their future these Sisters intend to devote their future lives in behalf of the lepers and probably will never return to their homes in the United States. The leader of this band is Mother Ann M. Schilling, of Syracuse, N. Y., a relative of the Franciscan superior here, although for some years past she has labored among the poor in Louisville, Ky. She and her companions will start from San Francisco direct to Hawaii, bearing with them, it is said appendicitis, nervous prostration or heart failure, etc. They used August Flower to clean out the system and stop Hawaii, bearing with them, it is said, the special blessing of Pope Leo XIII. An industrial school for the lepers' benefit will be started under the special care of the Franciscan Sisters.

> Consumption Do not think for a single moment that consumption will ever strike you a sudden blow. It does not come that way. It creeps its way.
> It creeps its way
> along. First you
> think it is a little cold, nothing but a little hacking cough; then a little loss in weight; then a harder cough; then the fever and the night sweats.
>
> Better stop the disease while it



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A. S. Elbson, M.D.,
Jan. 4, 1898.

Fort Madison, Iowa.

The Spartanburg Journal of last Wednesday contained the following: Judge Benet jolted Charleston very hard this morning. In sentencing Ed. Bailey, a young white man, to selling whiskey, he gave the most neaning and direct judicial arraignthe opposite side of the State from Spartanburg where you can sell Whitsitt said : quor with impunity and where grand juries won't present guilty parties, and petit juries won't con-vict, where you car sit and smile at other asserts that no man can be by local applications, as they cannot the plainest, most convincing evi-

Wives Fought Two.

Tampa, Fla., November 27 .- W. I. Bailey, railroad agent at Mango, Fla., shot and killed Paul Huet, a renchman, in a duel at that place. Huet was employed by Bailey to do some work on his farm. He was ordered to stop the work on account of its not being satisfactory. Huet became enraged at this and it is aleged threatened to do Bailey vioence. Bailey returned to his home for a gun. Huet ran to his home on a similar mission. Mrs. Bailey followed her husband, armed with a pistol. Mrs. Huet followed her husband similarly armed. When the party met both men raised guns, it is alleged, and Bailey shot first, killing Huet instantly. Mrs. Bailey and Mrs. Huet was in the meantime fighting with revolvers, Mrs. Huet severely beating Mrs. Bailey over the head and painfully wound-ing her. After the homicide Bailey cooly carried his wite home, gave her medical attention, and then telegraphed to the officers to come

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Robbed a Bank

If you want the best flour in this coun

charged the first blast of dynamite, Baptists sh four blocks away. Alberts hurried to the bank. One of the robbers was on guard in the street, and he seized Alberts, who was bound hand and foot and dragged into the bank, where he witnessed the gang drilling into the vault door.

When the fuse was lighted the robbers stepped outside and Alberts lay in the corner when it went off. He was not seriously injured, however. The second blast unhinged the vault doors and the robbers made off with all the cash. Securing a hand Delaven. There they were met by Night Patrolman Sanford who at-

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J. W. Bell.

A Remarkable Coincidence.

Mr. T. R. Lackie, of D troit, Mich., has sent us the following interesting tried to comfort him and cheer him sas, which narrates an incident of the battle with which some of our readers are already familiar:

In the year 1853 four gentlemen entered their sons at a boarding school at Cokesbury, in South Carolina. They had been for years intimate friends, and were clergymen in the Methodist church. These boys remained at this school as roommates and class-mates for two years and entered Wofford College, standing relatively first, second, third and fourth in a large class. They remained in this institution four years and were room-mates all the time, graduating relatively, first, second,

third and fourth. They entered a law office in Spartanburg and studied law under the same chancellor. The war broke out and they entered Jenkins' Rifle regiment S. C. V. (Capt. Jos. Walker's company) and were messmates in the same company. Being near the same height they stood together as comrades in battle in this regiment. At the second battle of Manassas a shell from the Federal batery fell in the ranks of this company, killing these four boys and no

others in the company.

They are buried on the battlefield, and sleep together in the same grave. Pheir names are Capers, McSwain, Smith and Duncan and they were

United States Senator Cushman

DR. WHITSITT BOLDER.

Rev. Dr. William H. Whitsitt. late President of the Southern Baptwelve months on the chaingang for tist Theological Seminary, made a Congress, which has been in session nent the notorious lawlessness of at Richmond, Va., in which he adthat city has yet received. The re- hered to his old position with refer-

marks of the Judge were frank. ence to Baptist history, which cre-Judge Benet said: 'You have made ated such a controversy in the de-"Southern Baptists are divided in dren. sentiment. One party asserts that

supply that always great demand for and teach the doctrine of a universal and that is by constitutional remedies whiskey emigrate to that favored spiritual church which, only with re- Deafness is caused by an inflamed con locality. It is not here. In this spect of the internal work of the dition of the mucous lining of the custa Piedmont country jurors do their spiritual truth of grace, may be chian tube. When this tube gets inflamed duty and the law is observed." Southern Baptists deny that docessential to salvation appeared shortly after the apostolic age, and brought in its wake a baptism of necessity, which, in all ages, has been commonly performed by aspersion and effusion. It was not long before the distinctive principle of baptism began by this means to be over-

"The last man who is shown to have held and practiced it was Manus, who wrote a letter to Cyprian, of Carthage, about the year 225, in which he appears to have advocated the Baptist contention. After and parties held and practiced immersion, no record has ever yet been tism until the Baptists were restored Protestants, but that is merely the siderably bruised. result of their substantially Catholic

they secured all the funds of the bank, between three and four thousand dollars. When the robbers dissand dollars. When the robbers disthe explosion aroused John Alberts, exist in the actual succession for every day of that period."

We are now receiving one of the largest and best selected stock of dry goods, dress goods, shoes, hats, clothing, hardware, crockery, glassware and groceries. Come and get bargains. J. & J. S. Carter, Westminster, S. C.

What Hurt Him Most.

Private John Allen, the famous member of Congress from Mississippi, by a simple story, once killed absolutely an elaborate, venomous car they pulled in the direction of sectional speech and so thoroughly discounted the maker of it that he never afterwards gained his prestige tempted to arrest them. One robber on the rostrum. The name of this fired and Sanford fell mortally man, who has met with misfortune men boarded a passenger train on the Chicago and Alton road. All war record had not been especially wounded. Outside the town the since, need not be mentioned here, brilliant.

Allen replied by telling how, after the war, he, the only private in the Confederate army had gone back and found everything in ruins, and on his way to his own plantation stepped in to see a friend and found him situp, until finally the friend said :

"John, I do not mind the loss of my money, and the ruin of my farm or the damage to my health, or even the sufferings my family have undergone-all that is part of the gamebut what makes me sad is the thought that in about 15 or 20 years after this is all the fellows who never smelt powder will be getting up before big crowds and telling them how they thrashed us."

spirit nor the flavor as Allen did it, which would be conceded if an unfor nor type or reproduction can do stamped document was not admitted justice to his inimitable humor, but as evidence. in its effect the story was one of the most remarkable ever told in this

PISO'S CURE FOR CURES WHERE ALL FISE FAILS, Bost Cough Syrup, Tastes Good, Use in time. Sold by drugglets. CONSUMPTION

A correspondent of the News and Courier, writing from Greenville, says: "Henry Williams, a farmer of lickens county, who was in Greenville one day last week, is hale and active, with a remarkable history. He is 93 years old, never uttered an oath, never used tobacco in any form, was never sued and never sued any one; married twice, now a widower, offenders of their breach of etikeeps house and does his own cocthe sons of Bishop Capers, Rev. Dr. McSwain, Rev. Dr. Whiteford Smith old. He raised eight children, and Rev. Dr. Duncan, of Virginia.

In they were the sons of Bishop Capers, Rev. Dr. Whiteford Smith old. He raised eight children, and Pope," he said, "is old-fashioned, by reason of their extreme age they bigh. 23 years old and weighs 168 and Rev. Dr. Duncan, of Virginia.
This grave is marked by a granite the youngest, 50 years old, was with an iron fence of the was in Greenville. Five but I am quite accustomed to them.

Many of the big trees are estimated but I is understood that it was a love match. Mrs. Page was a love match.

Hangs Herself to Gas Pipe.

He Declares That the Southern Baptists Are Anderson, Ind., November 28 .-Divided as to Whether They Are Protestants. Mrs. Louise Spanwick committed suicide at her home to-day by hanging herself to a gas pipe. Mrs. Spanwick had a quarrel with William Williams, one of her boarders, whom notable address before the Baptist she intended to marry, and he left Congress, which has been in session her for good. She followed him two blocks from the house, screaming and fornia, and the dangers which menbegging him to return home. Wilbegging him to return home. liams said this evening he had intended returning and was much afmistake. There is a locality on nomination, and his utterances were feeted. Mrs. Spanwick's busband even bolder than heretofore. Dr. was killed by a train a year ago this month. She leaves three small chil-

a Baptist except in name only, who reach the diseased portion of the ear. dence against you. If you must is not also a Protestant. To hold There is only one way to cure deafness called invisible, is alike a mark of you have a rumbling sound or imperfect the Big Tree and the Redwood, sur-Protestant and of Baptist faith. To hearing, and when it is entirely closed deny that doctrine is understood to deafness is the result, and unless the be a mark of Somanism. Many inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition. trine. The doctrine that baptism is hearing will be destroyed forever. Nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condi tion of the mucous surfaces.

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Prisoners Attack Jailer.

that date, though many churches Jailer Erwin, of the county jail in this city, to-night. While the jailer discovered of any who held and on him and attempted to bear him ples of a former geologic age. Their practiced that it is essential to bap- to the ground. After a desperate vitality is remarkable, the fungus is fight, two of the negroes broke by in 1641. Furthermore, historic tes- the jailer and escaped. The other timony regarding the re-introduc-tion of immersion in 1641, after the secured. None of the four men had secured. None of the four men had be sound at heart when felled. These rite had long been disused, was any weapon and the fighting was abundant, definite, circumstantial, with their hands. The intention of consistent and quite as conclusive as the historic testimony down and choke him or perhaps that Napoleon the First was named break his neck, but being a very Emperor of France in 1804. It is powerful man he succeeded in prerejected by our Baptists who are not venting this, although he was con-

When the stomach is tired out it must

Une More Unfortunate

"David ?" "Yes, Martha." "Something dreadful has hapened."

There was a tremor in her voice, and the old man straightened up. est examples in the Calaveras Grove amount of debris left on the ground, He noticed that she held a letter. "What's wrong?" he asked. my of the children sick ?"

"No. Last week I saw a piece our farm paper that said if I sent of the trunk was found to be 25 feet and necessarily gives rise to fires of dollar I could find out how to get at a height of 6 feet above the great destructive power, although rid of rats and roaches. I sent the ground. It was 302 feet high. It the Big Tree wood is not specially "Yes?"

"Here's what they wrote back Move away.'" Times-Herald.

To those living

for sick headache, indigestion, this last act in a great tragedy of the bronchifis, grippe and other throat and lung troubles. J. W. Bell.

tion and all bilious diseases.

gress is admissible as evidence. The that Congress has no right to pre-Of course, this gives neither the scribe rules of evidence for a State and its circumference at its base was

According to the argument of an lets. able railway lawyer a man is legally entitled to a car seat into which he has dropped a bag, bundle, coat, cane cases and grips, it looks rather rough sionally he also stabled his horse. on the scatless passenger.

ball room dress. A well known Car- through which a road has been cut. dinal was instructed to apprise these quette. The Cardinal thus fulfilled noblest specimens which the botani-

needs purifying, but the candidates. natural deaths; they seem to be generation born and bred there lives

CALIFORNIA'S BIG TREES.

The Growth is Being Fast Destroyed—Little Revenue is Derived from the Sale.

The Forester of the Department of Agriculture, Mr. Gifford Pinchot, has just written a most interesting account of the "Big Trees" of Calither the different kinds gave way, their remains became buried, and

vived. Both grow in California, each in a separate locality, the Redthe coast ranges ten to thirty miles the Bay of Monterey. The Big Tree (Sequoia Washingtoniana) is the west slope of the Sierra Nevada Mountains. There are ten main groves or groups of trees, and the number of specimens figures up some thousand, but only about 500 are remarkable for their size. The Big Trees are unique; they are the Columbia, November 28.—Three oldest living thing, and are the most negroes made a desperate attack on majestic of trees, and are extremely ground. The loss from this cause is interesting from a scientific point of great, but it is only one of the was inspecting the prisoners jumped view as being the best living examan enemy unknown to it, and the best specimens have been found to great natural curiosities have only been able to hold their own by reason of favorable climatic conditions. The Mariposa grove is the only one which may be said to be entirely safe, and most of the other groves are being destroyed. The finest of

> by men who have the right, and in tree also stands, as a rule, in a mixed most cases the intention, to fell them. forest composed of many species, The Calaveras Grove was discov. and the destruction caused by the ered in 1841 by John Bidwell, and fall of one of the enormous trees is by 1870 the majority of the big trees in itself great, but the principal had been located. One of the larg- source of damage is the immense was cut down in 1853. The bark a certain source of future fires. This was 15 to 18 inches in thickness, and mass of broken branches, trunks and after stripping this off the diameter bark is often five or six feet thick.

was found to be impossible to fell it inflammable. The devastation which by ordinary means, so the trunk was follows such lumbering is as combored by pump augers of large diame. plete and deplorable as the untouched Then the poor old soul wept as sif ter. This occupied twenty-two days, her heart would break.—Chicago five men being employed, and at the worthy of preservation. Fortunately, conclusion of their labors it was much of this appalling destruction found that the tree would not fall, has been done without leaving the so two and a half days were conin malarial districts Tutt's Pills sumed in driving in wedges. The are indispensible, they keep the system in perfect order and are apparently wishing to prevent the apparently wishing to prevent the hand of man from consummating cooks and the worst coach are the coach and the worst coach and the worst coach are the coach and the coach are the c hand of man from consummating colds and the worst forest. The bark was used to form malaria, torpid liver, constipa- a room in the old Crystal Palace, at South Kensington. A cotillion party

Tutt's Liver Pills of 32 persons danced on the stump. 110 feet. A number of the living trees have been named, and most of them are marked with marble tab-

There are 1,380 big trees in the Stanislaur or South Calaveras Grove, or umbrella. This may be so, but including "Smith's Cabin," in the when a "knight of the road" fills up charred hollow of which a trapper bank. One of them caught a tin half a dozen seats with his sample lived for three years, and where ocea-

The "Canal Boat" is a decumbent The following story comes from tree. The upper side and heart have Rome: Some ladies made their ap- burned away; in the bottom thoupearance at Papal reception, to the sands of young big trees have started. grave displeasure of the Pope, in In the Mariposa Grove is a tree

Unfortunately the big trees are exquisitely proportioned and are the United States Senator Cushman Kellog Davis, Chairman of the Committee on Foreign Affairs, died at his home in St. Paul, Minnesota, on November 28th. His death was indirectly due to a poisoned foot.

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The genial Bill Arp expresses the opinion that it is not the ballot that needs purifying, but the candidates. Something in that.

Something in that. The genial Bill Arp expresses the probably live to be 5,000 years old, marry the diminutive little major.

afflict other trees. Their worst enemy is man; then comes fire, lightning, storms and the giving way of the ground on which they stand.

Fossils show the Big Tree to be the remnant of a once numerous family; it is a direct or collateral descendant of ancient species. Their ancestors formed a large part of the ace them. Before the glacial period forests which flourished throughout the genus called Sequoia flourished the Polar regions, now desolate and widely in the temperate zones of ice-clad, and which extended into the three continents. There were many low latitudes of Europe. The natuspecies, and Europe, Asia and Ameri- ral reproduction of the tree is slow, ca had each its share. But when and the preservation of the race is the ice fields moved down out of the | dependent on maintaining the pres-North, the luxuriant vegetation of ent groves intact. The Big Tree the age declined, and with it the rejoices in five names which have multitude of trees. One after ano- been given to it at various times; Sequoia, Washingtoniana, however, which was proposed in 1898, will when the ice receded just two species, probably be the name under which it will be known. The Big Tree has been introduced into England and the Continent, and while it has done wood occupying a narrow strip of well it shows that the existing climates do not suit it, and the Sierra wide and extending from Oregon to forests need fear no rivals. It has been occasionally cultivated in the Eastern United States, where it does found in small groves scattered along not flourish. There are two trees 35 feet high in a nursery at Rochester,

New York. The lumbering of the Big Tree is very destructive. The enormous size and weight of the tree naturally entails considerable breakage, and the brittle trunk is liable to be smashed by any inequalities in the sources of waste. The great diameter of the logs, notwithstanding the lightness of the wood, causes their weight to be so enormous that it is impossible to handle many of them without breaking them up. For this purpose gunpowder is used, and the fragments are often of wasteful shapes, and unless great care is used in preparing the blast, a great deal of the wood itself is scattered into useless splinters. At the mill, where waste is the rule in the manufacture Emden, Ill., November 28.—Four masked men wrecked the Bank of Emden early to-day. It is stated tist has been found between A. D. the finide of the list has been found between A. D. the digestive organs to health. It is the forest is unparalleled, beautiful and owners of the Big Trees as well off as they were before it began.

Help is needed at once when a person's

A Fatal Affray.

Capt. Wilson, of the chaingang of Another tree, called "The Mother of guards, by the name of Hughs, got Cherokee county, and one of his Chief Justice Simmons, of the the Forest," was 321 feet high and into a difficulty at Blacksburg last Tuesday. Wilson shot and seri-Supreme Court of Georgia, has de- 137 feet to the first branch. It is Tuesday. Wilson shot and sericided that a document not bearing estimated that there were 537,000 ously wounded Hughs, whereupon the special stamp required by Confect of cound inch timber in the tree. feet of sound inch timber in the tree. Hughs said: "Wilson, you have killed me and I will do my best on decision is based on the contention The "Father of the Forest" was well killed me and I will do my best on decision is based on the contention. The "Father of the Forest" was about 400 feet high when standing, then cut Wilson severely. It is thought that Hughs will die.

Four Killed by Nitro-Glycerine Explosion.

Wellaburg, W. Va., November 28,-Four are killed and 15 or 20 injured by an explosion of nitro-glycerine on the river bank. A party of boys, gathered to look at the high river, built a bonfire of driftwood on the can floating on the water and thoughtlessly threw it on the fire.

It contained nitro-glycerine and its explosion killed Herman Findley, aged 14; Rolin Findley, 15, and William Shriver, 15. A baby in a near by house was also killed. Fifteen or 20 boys in the party were more or less hurt.

A notable wedding occurred in Binghamton, N. Y., last week. The groom was Major Page. He is 31 This grave is marked by a granite cross enclosed with an iron fence.— him when he was in Greenville. Five but I am quite accustomed to them, to be 3,600 years old, and 400 rings handsome and popular young woman ages when a missionary that I do not have been counted. Under the most and had refused a number of desirafavorable conditions these giants ble offers in order to be able to

> In the London slums, the third exempt from the diseases which and dies without any progeny.